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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Another new year brings pleasant memories and new challenges with the help of the many friends of Clayton Library. I have been fortunate to have served with some very dedicated and capable board members and now look forward to working with our new board. Our past president, Tammy Frey, was a workhorse and moved us through the completion of the renovation of our beloved Clayton House leaving only the signage to identify our Clayton center. This past board also left us with a holiday gift of several new microfilm scanners. These require the City of Houston and Houston Public Library for final completion, with the assistance of our manager, Sue Kaufman.

My 2015 year as president will be focused on getting the signs installed, scanners in operation, education programs scheduled, website updated and finances balanced by reversing the trend in lowered membership. We have the right board members and volunteers in place to accomplish this. We need your membership support and feedback such that our board serves you well.

Thank all of you for allowing me to lead or to be led as needed. As a life-long Houstonian who just by chance took that turn in the road (Caroline Street) that led me by the lovely homes and campus that the William Lockhart Clayton family provided as the center for our special collection of genealogical research, I can now learn more about my own family history. Hope to see you on February 14 at our general meeting.

Congenially,
Leslie O. Fullerton
President, CLF

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Clayton Library Friends, Inc.

Statement of Activities

October 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014

Revenue

Unrestricted Contributions	\$ 3,722
Temporarily Restricted Contributions	4,658
Membership Dues	1,755
Miscellaneous	440

Total Revenue **\$ 10,575**

Expenditures

Current Programs	\$ 18,715
Administrative & General	1,540

Total Expenditures **\$ 20,255**

Net Operating Revenue **\$ - 9,680**

Statement of Financial Position

As of December 31, 2014

ASSETS

Current Assets

Bank Accounts	\$ 224,283
Other Current Assets	63
Fixed Asset	23,396

Total Current Assets **\$247,742**

Total Other Assets **\$ 1,074,656**

(Investments, of which \$824,007 is the
Permanently Restricted Endowment)

Total Assets **\$1,322,398**

LIABILITIES AND EQUITY

Total Liabilities **\$ -0-**

Equity **\$1,322,398**

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY **\$1,322,398**

Resa Nichols Hennings, Treasurer

Your Donations At Work --

Two New Microfilm Scanners Are On The Way

There is good news for those of you who make use of Clayton Library's extensive microfilm collection or borrow films from the Family History Center through Clayton's Family History Center Affiliate program . and there is even better news for those of you who are intimidated by the equipment used to scan or copy the microfilm! Through the generosity of our donors, Clayton Library Friends has been able to purchase two new microfilm scanners. When all the necessary equipment is received, one will be installed at Clayton House, and one will be on the second floor of the main library building.

While they are definitely high-tech, the new ScanPro 3000 machines are also user friendly. Users will be able to select either %basic+functions for simplicity, or they can choose to use more advanced features. Either way, we think you'll be impressed!

The donations for the scanners were received in honor/memory of Dr. Mavis P. Kelsey and in honor of the Polish Genealogical Society of Texas. We are very grateful for these generous donations! The support from our members and donors helps Clayton Library continue to be recognized as one of the top genealogy libraries in the nation!

Welcome New Members

Clayton Library Friends would like to extend a warm welcome to these new members who have joined since our last newsletter.

We're glad that you've discovered the Clayton Library Friends and hope that you'll also join our group of volunteers that provides support to the library in so many ways.

**Adrian S Melissinos, Allison Dee Pimiott, M/M
Bernd Strassner, Travis Roy Whittaker**

Mark Your Calendar -- And Join Us

Saturday, February 14, 2015, 10:15 am . 12:00 noon
Carriage House Meeting Room at the Clayton Library Center
Members and visitors alike are welcome -- free presentation.

Genealogy In Your Jammies

Speaker: Sue Yerby
Professional Genealogist
(and fully addicted genealogy junkie)

*Have you ever had an evening when you just could not get that genealogy clue out of your mind and you are just itching to look something up?
Find out how you can do that without spending any money.*

We will run the gauntlet of FamilySearch and learn how to make the most of your searching. Did you know that FamilySearch can now show you what other, for fee sites, may have on your outlaw ancestor? They also have a place you can get a link to local free sites for many of your research needs. All of this is FREE and you can wear your jammies with the feet in them to get the job done.



Sue Yerby's all-consuming hobby, and often her obsession, is genealogy. She has been doing her own family research for over 40 years. Genealogy is like a potato chip, you can't find just one ancestor and quit.

For over 38 years she has been a Family History Consultant. She has taught continuing education classes in genealogy as well as developing and orchestrating several full day genealogy workshops.

Sue holds memberships in many area genealogy societies as well as being a member of the Daughter of the American Revolution. She is currently a Board member for Clayton Library Friends and for The Texas State Genealogical Society, and also a member of the National and Texas Association of Professional Genealogists.

Also Mark Your Calendar for --

Saturday, May 9, 2015 10:15 am . 12:00 noon
General Meeting Speaker: Sue Kaufman, Clayton Library Manager

The State of the Library

Manager's Message ó



New Year, New Staff!!

Hello Everyone -- I am very excited to let all our Clayton Library Friends know that the Library has a complete team of individuals ready and willing to help you find your family! At the beginning of January, Rodney Sam and Joy Oria joined us to round out the staff at the library. These new faces will appear at all our service points, along with all of us who have been offering our hallmark highly engaging personal reference service that is tailored to your specific research goal. The knowledge my new colleagues bring broadens our service base, continuing to keep us the most important place in Houston to come to do family history research.

Other exciting things going on include upcoming installation of new microfilm scanners. These scanners have been purchased by the Clayton Library Friends. The new ScanPro 3000 will be up and available in the first quarter of the 2015. These new scanners were chosen by the team at Clayton and by members of the Clayton Library Friends last year. They are user-friendly, will save to a flash drive, have the ability to print out copies, and are a super-cool piece of hardware. The decision was a thoughtful one, made with computer literate and those not so comfortable with computers in mind. Of course everyone at Clayton will be ready and willing to walk you through your first time using them. Look for them on the second floor of the main building and in the Clayton House soon!

As the New Year begins, I look forward to seeing everyone at the library because I KNOW one of your New Year resolutions was to work on your family history more . right? Please visit us, get to know us and the new scanners, visit the Clayton Library Friends Facebook page, attend some of our education sessions, and have a great time researching! We are here to help, and look forward to doing so!

Thank you for your continued support . see you at the Library!

Sue Kaufman
Manager, Clayton Library

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Library Hours:

Tuesday and Thursday . 10 am . 6 pm

Wednesday – 10 am -- 8 pm

Friday and Saturday . 10 am . 5 pm

(Closed on Sunday and Monday)

Clayton Library Friends is a tax-exempt,
non-profit organization -- IRS Code 501(c)(3).

The purpose of the organization
is to enrich the resources and facilities of the Clayton Library,
Center for Genealogical Research,
a Special Collections branch of the
Houston Public Library.



BE AN ANGEL

2015 Periodical Subscriptions still needed for Clayton

You can earn your %wings+ by donating for one or more of the following periodicals requested by Clayton Library. Non-specific donations are always welcome. All donations to the Angel Program will be acknowledged in the CLF newsletter, unless otherwise requested. Memorial donations will be acknowledged upon request.

Please contact: Liz Hicks, 746 Edgebrook Dr., Houston, TX 77034-2030, phone: (713) 944-1118, or e-mail: erootrot@usa.net for questions. Checks should be made payable to Clayton Library Friends, and mailed to: P.O. Box 271078, Houston, TX 77277-1078.

American-Canadian Genealogist (French Canadian & Acadian Genealogy) \$50

Carolina Herald and Newsletter (South Carolina) \$8

Carolinas Genealogical Society Quarterly \$18

Central Georgia Genealogical Soc Quarterly \$30

Clarke County Hist & Genealogical Soc Quarterly (Clarke Co, AL) \$30

Collin County Chronicles (Collin County, TX) \$20

Family Tree Magazine (United Kingdom) \$110

Georgia Genealogical Society Quarterly \$35

Greenville County Geneal Society Journal (SC) \$21

Idaho Genealogical Society Quarterly \$35

Illinois State Genealogical Soc Quarterly \$30

Indiana Genealogist \$30

Irish Roots \$35

Kin Hunters (Sandusky, Ohio) \$17

Journal of the Afro-American Hist & Gen Soc \$45

Les Voyageurs (German-Acadian Coast Hist & Gen Society) \$15

Minnesota Genealogist (Minnesota Gen Soc) \$35

Montgomery Genealogical Soc Quarterly (AL) \$25

Tap Roots (East Alabama Genealogical Soc) \$25

The Times (Central NC-several counties) \$20

Topeka Genealogical Soc Quarterly (Kansas) \$35

Those who have earned their “wings” for 2015 are:

Robert W. Anderson -- *Chronicles of Oklahoma*, and *Middle TN Journal of Gen and History* in memory of Frank Ervin Anderson; *Alabama Genealogical Society Magazine* in memory of Essemina Weinnacker Anderson.

Tom Coughlin -- *MASOG* and *Past Times* (Mass.) in memory of Dennis J. Lonergan.

M/M Wally Davenport -- donation for the Angels program.

Ruby Dusek -- *Ceske Stopy* (Texas Czech Genealogical Society) and *Le Raconteur* (Le Comite des Archives de Archives de la Louisiane).

Marjorie Lowe -- *Goingsnake Messenger* (Goingsnake District Heritage Assn.-Oklahoma).

Barbara Jean Richards -- *Vermont Genealogy* in memory of Elizabeth Barrell Richards.

Betty Monk Ryman -- *Journal* (German Texan Heritage Society quarterly) in memory of Pierce Merrick Brower.

David Singleton -- *Wisconsin State Genealogical Society Newsletter* in memory of Milford Patrick Murphy.

Myron Fuller Steves -- *The Genealogist* (American Society of Genealogists), *St Louis Genealogical Society Quarterly*, *Lifelines* (Northern NY American-Canadian Gen Society), and *Der Blumenbaum* (Sacramento German Genealogy Society).

William R. Voss -- *Flint Genealogical Society Quarterly* (Michigan).

Kay Van Cleave, PhD -- Boone Society periodical -- *Family Members of Daniel Boone*

Thank You 2014 Volunteers!

The Clayton Library Friends continued its strong support of the library in 2014 by offering time and talents in the form of volunteer service. Volunteers serve the library in many ways and include Clayton Library Friends board members, Clayton House desk assistants, digitization team members, shelving assistants, indexers and transcribers, microprint desk assistants, newsletter editors, website managers, acquisitions directors, and so much more. As we start the new year, I'd like to acknowledge all those who volunteered their time in 2014, listed below in alphabetical order (I apologize in advance if I missed anyone):

Karen Acker	Joan Evans	Robert Hickey	Elsa Schmieder
Virginia Blalock	Cathy Fitch	Liz Hicks	Janice Shultz
Sharline Boykin	Tammy Frey	Phyllis Jones	Vanessa Smith
Dorothy Breedlove	Les Fullerton	Peggy Joneson	Grace Stinebaugh
Lucy Brock	Susan Garwood	James Lenoir	Lana Sullivan
Gay Carter	Susie Gay	Michael Lindee	Bev Verner
Louisa Collett	Sammie Graves	Leslie Linton	Marilyn Weaver
Kathryn Coughlin	Carol Hansen	Marjorie Lowe	Bill Weimer
Tom Coughlin	John Hansen	Mary Martin	Sandy Wilbourn
Norma Davenport	Elani Hantel	Pat Metcalfe	Charlene Wilson
Kathleen Dickerson	Dawn Hardwick	Randy Pace	Sue Yerby
John Dorroh	Glenda Hayes	Pat Phillips	Joyce Zongrone
Lesley Douthwaite	Carlee Heit	Steve Price	
Ruby Dusek	Resa Hennings	Barbara Richards	

There are others who volunteer their time to the library anonymously.

To all of you: **THANK YOU!!**

NEW FOR 2015!!!

If you have book shelving experience (or are willing to learn how to shelve books), then consider joining the all-new Clayton Library Shelf Reading Team, due to make its first appearance in early 2015! This team (a mix of staff and volunteers) will meet together three times a year to make sure that every single book in the library is in its proper place on the shelves (and hopefully we will find some missing and mis-shelved books in the process!) If you are interested in joining us for these fun group events in 2015, please contact me at steven.bychowski@houstontx.gov (shelf reading dates TBD: Feb/May/Sep). Thanks!!!

Steven Bychowski
Clayton Library Volunteer Coordinator

THE CLAYTON ADVOCATE deadline for the next issue is April 13, 2015.

We welcome any articles related to Clayton Library or its collections.

CLAYTON LIBRARY FRIENDS NEWSLETTER STAFF

Editor – Pat Palmer Metcalfe plpm@ix.netcom.com

Editorial Assistance -- Norma Davenport

Party Time!!!

Here's a snapshot from the 2014 Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon held on Monday, November 10, 2014. We had 25 participants who shared a great day filled with food, fun, and fellowship. Thank you to all who attended and all who helped organize this event as a way for the Clayton Library staff to say thank you to all of our awesome volunteers!



5th row (top) . Sue Yerby, Steve Price, Michael Lindee, Glenda Hayes

4th row . Tammy Frey, Marjorie Lowe, Liz Hicks, Barbara Richards

3rd row . Randy Pace, Gregory Weaver, Kathryn Coughlin, Steven Bychowski

2nd row . Sharline Boykin, Pat Metcalfe, Louisa Collett, Tom Coughlin, John Hansen

1st row (bottom) . Les Fullerton, Dawn Hardwick, Sammie Graves, Joyce Zongrone, Cathy Fitch, Ruby Dusek, Carol Hansen, Marilyn Weaver

Not pictured: Susan Garwood

Acquisitions Committee Report –

We are delighted to announce that the Acquisitions Committee was responsible for the purchase of over \$22,000 worth of materials during 2014. Over \$12,000 was used to purchase individual items. Many were pulled from lists drawn up by the Clayton Collection Development staff, coordinated by Melissa Hayes, while others were located by the Clayton Library Friends Acquisitions Committee or suggested by other members of the Clayton Library Friends. We also donated almost \$6,000 to be used to bind books and periodicals, to extend the life of materials in Clayton's collection.

Three substantial purchases were made during the year 2014. That seems to have been the year of the map. In August, we purchased 55 volumes of Illinois and Wisconsin historical plat books, published by Rockford Map Publishers, at the request of Library Manager Sue Kaufman, and at the end of the year, we renewed the Library's subscription to the HistoryGeo.com database for a further two years. This was a subscription that CLF had first paid for in 2013. If you are not familiar with it, it is a family history software service for linking old maps and land records to your genealogy research. Version 2 (which will soon be installed) contains over seven million landowners in the public land states and Texas, compared with about 2.4 million in the previous version. If you haven't already used the database, I would urge you to try it out. The HistoryGeo.com website gives a detailed breakdown of the 19 states mapped so far, and a listing of those that will become available shortly. It is available at Clayton Library only.

The other large purchase was the result of a generous donation given by an anonymous donor to purchase Polish records. Former CLF President Tammy Frey worked with the donor and Sue Kaufman to identify records that would help library patrons with Polish ancestry do more in-depth research into their backgrounds. As a result, 46 rolls of microfilm have been ordered on extended loan from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. These include Polish church records from Galveston, Houston, and other Texas locations, as well as records from South Bend, Indiana. In addition, we were able to obtain some Polish, Austrian, and other European church and synagogue records. We will continue to obtain additional records as we are able to locate them.

Lesley Douthwaite, CLF Acquisitions Director

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Membership Dues Reminder --

It's that time again . time to renew your membership. We hope you are enjoying your access to the CLF newsletter, *The Clayton Advocate*, and learning what Clayton Library Friends is accomplishing at the library. But, it's getting close to the time when we update our list of active members and those who have not paid their 2015 dues are declared inactive. That means that this issue is the last issue of the newsletter that you will receive . if you do not renew your 2015 membership by March 1st.

We are very appreciative of those of you who responded to our inclusion of the Membership Form in the November newsletter, or renewed at our CLF Annual Meeting in November. We have again enclosed a copy of the form in this issue . for the convenience of those of us who tend to procrastinate (myself included). Hopefully this is the push that you need so that you will not be dropped from our member list.

When was the last time you were at Clayton to discover what has been added to help your research? When I talk to people at the Library, I find that a number of them were last at Clayton a long time ago. For example, some are still looking for the Family Histories at the Clayton House. The families are well settled in on the second floor of the Main Building . ever since the House renovation project started in 2005. We are constantly adding new materials to the library. As you read the article on the top of this page, you see a summary of the CLF purchases for just this year. Your membership dues and donations help us to assist the library in many areas that the Houston Public System cannot handle adequately. We really do need your help!

To those of you who have already renewed . a great big THANK YOU!!

Pat Metcalfe, Membership

2014 Contributions and Donations

Clayton Library Friends wishes to acknowledge and express its appreciation to the following individuals and organizations who, during the calendar year of 2014, have generously contributed cash and/or gifts-in-kind for our ongoing goal of enriching the resources and facilities of Clayton Library, Center for Genealogical Research.

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Clayton Library Friends

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Clayton Library Center for Genealogical Research*

Membership Form 2015

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☐ Miss ☐ Ms. ☐ Mrs. ☐ Mr. ☐ Other title:

_____ last first middle (maiden)

Occupation:

(If retired, please list previous occupation.)

Second Person: (same address)

☐ Miss ☐ Ms. ☐ Mrs. ☐ Mr. ☐ Other title:

_____ last first middle (maiden)

Occupation:

(If retired, please list previous occupation.)

Mailing Address:

Street, PO Box, Apartment No.

City

State

Zip + 4

Phone: (_____) _____

Phone: (_____) _____

Email: _____

Email: _____

Clayton Library Friends does not share their membership list.

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☐ I want to receive my newsletter by regular mail.

Dues

- Individual \$20

- Two people, same address \$25

\$ _____

Additional Contribution

\$ _____

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☐ Clayton House Welcome Desk

☐ Book Shelving

☐ Special Projects

☐ Library Docent

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☐ Board Member

☐ Public Speaking (presentations)

☐ Special Projects

☐ Programs Hospitality

Genealogy Specialty: (e.g., Tennessee research, German records, Native American history, etc.)

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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Saturday – 14 February, 2015
10:15am General Meeting
Clayton Center Carriage House

Genealogy In Your Jammies
Sue Yerby, Professional Genealogist

Saturday – 9 May, 2015
10:15am General Meeting
Clayton Center Carriage House

The State of the Library
Sue Kaufman, Clayton Library Manager

Saturday – 8 August, 2015
General Meeting
Saturday -- 14 November 2015
Annual Meeting

Speakers and Topics to be announced.